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The next parcel I searched was that known as Parcel 126, Thomas J. Meonier, 14.46 acres by deed 1274/508. I could have just skipped over this parcel since it would appear to be to the NORTH of the Green base line and based on this we should be able to assume that it would also be carved from the 268 acres as previously indentified. I traced it back where it came from a deed owned by Edward R. Killam and Theresa d. Killam in 1968, 781/723. The deed 781/723, is carved from the 268 acres as acquired by Willard A. Warthen, Jr. and Hazel M. Warthen by deed 645/502. By chaining this parcel back I was able to make a sold determination that this parcel did, in fact, come out of the 268 acres.

Parcel 62, 91.50 acres, as owned by Rodger K. Menzie by Deed 840/82 was the next chain that I searched. I traced this chain of title back until it comes out of an Equity recorded in Docket 16, Page 39, being #8876, Vincent Sebold and J. Howard Creager sell to Charles E. and Martha Ann Wilhide by a deed recorded in 320/140. The Equity Record Docket reference is E.G.H. 3/4, the sale of real estate of one J. Wesley Creager. I pulled this equity docket and read the case. It seems that J. Weley Creager (sometimes spelled Creeger), died owning a large amount of land and his heirs are asking the Court to appoint a Trustee to sell the land. There were recited at least 50 different deed references and some recited some land references without deed references. The 91.50 acres is only one of thse. I Platted this 91.50 acres and it looks exactly like the parcel as shown on the tax map. I checked this Equity for a plat of any of the property and there were no plats. Since one of my deeds in this chain of title (504/436) called this 91-1/2 acres "Creager's Surprise", I checked the old survey records to try to find a survey for this tract of land - no luck. After using a lot of time and making a painstaking effort I weeded throught all of the parcels as recited in this Equity Case and was able to find the deed where J. Wesley Creager acquired this property. It is a deed recorded 9-7-1895, in Liber J.L.J. 11, folio 295, for "Creeger's Surprise", containing 91-1/2 acres. This deed into J. Wesley Creeger (notice how the spelling keeps changing), is from Sarah P. Krise, H. J. Krise, her husband, P. S. Keefer and Lela Keefer, his wife, and D. B. Keefer and Ella Keefer, his wife. THIS IS NO BEING CLAUSE IN THIS DEED: At this point I felt that I was on the trail of what could be the answer to this problem, so I started to check the index looking for anything these people may have done to try to establish a lead on where they got this property. The first index I checked was 1867-1895. I found a need, not out land but it turned out to be a lead. This deed was recorded in W.I.P. 1/729, wherein it recited that they were the heirs of Kazia G. Keefer. With this information, I proceeded to check this Kazia G. Keefer in the index. I was able to determine that Kazia (Kezia) was a woman and her husband was Samuel. I checked my book called "Names in Stone" and was able to estalish the dates of death: Sarah P. Krise died 1912, H. Jefferson Krise, died 1923 and their son Buchanan K. Krise died 1891. I checked the indexes back to 1851 and found no lead to this property. I then checked to old Survey Records under "Daniel's Conquest", "Emply Pockets" and "Creager's Surprise". I found H.G.O. 1/447 for Daniel's Conquest and I found "Creager's Farm" in H.G.O. 1/84. I did get copies of these old survey records but there were of no value in making this determination. After tracing this parcel back to 1851, I had to give up and proceed to tracing another parcel.